Progress through Partnership: The NINDS 2014 Nonprofit Forum

Lister Hill Auditorium/Natcher Conference Center National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD September 23-24, 2014

Day 1: Lister Hill Auditorium

8:30-9:00 a.m. Registration

Atrium

9:00-9:15 a.m. NINDS Director's Welcome

Story Landis, NINDS Director

Auditorium

9:15-10:30 a.m. When is the Time for Handoff?

How to Engage the Pharmaceutical Industry in Your Disease

Panelists:

Rajesh Ranganathan, NINDS, Chair Cristina Csimma, Cydan Development

Susan Dickinson, the Association for Frontotemporal Degeneration

Sharon Hesterlee, Parent Project Muscular Dystrophy

Cartier Esham, Emerging Companies, Biotechnology Industry Organization

10:30-10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m.-Noon Nonprofit Success Stories

Panelists:

Paul Gross, Hydrocephalus Association, Chair Pat Furlong, Parent Project Muscular Dystrophy Lauren Stiles, Dysautonomia International

Ron Bartek, Friedreich's Ataxia Research Alliance (FARA)

Noon-1:30 p.m. Lunch

1:30-2:30 p.m. How Can Patients Work with CTSAs?

Panelists:

Walter Koroshetz, NINDS Deputy Director, Chair

Meryl Sufian, NCATS Ron Bartek, FARA

Lisa Guay-Woodford, Children's National Health System

2:30-3:30 p.m. Clinical Outcomes

Panelists:

Kurt Fischbeck, NINDS, Chair Thomas Crawford, Johns Hopkins Jane Paulsen, University of Iowa

Walter Koroshetz, NINDS

3:30-3:45 p.m. Break

3:45-5:00 p.m. The Power of Partnerships: Engaging Patients in PCORI Research

Panelists:

Sarita Wahba, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute, Chair

Megan O'Boyle, Phelan McDermid Foundation

Janice Buelow, Epilepsy Foundation

5:00-6:00 p.m. Reception

Atrium

Day 2: Natcher Conference Center

8:00-8:30 a.m. BRAIN Initiative (Plenary)

Story Landis, NINDS Director

Room E1/E2

9:00-10:00 a.m. Concurrent Breakout Sessions

Breakout 1 (Room E1/E2):

How Can We Help You and How You Can Help Us?

Vicky Whittemore, NINDS, Moderator

Breakout 2 (Room F1/F2):

How do You Build Your Research Program?

Amelie Gubitz, NINDS, Moderator

10:00-11:30 a.m. Meet the Program Directors

All rooms (TBA)

11:30-11:45 a.m. Break

11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. NPO Special Session: NIH from the Nonprofit Perspective

Paul Gross, Hydrocephalus Association, and

Cynthia Rothblum-Oviatt, A-T Children's Project, Moderators

11:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Nuts and Bolts: Building and Sustaining an Innovative Research Ecosystem

12:00 p.m.-12:30 p.m. Pitfalls and Speed Bumps on the Road to "Success Stories"

12:30 p.m.-1:00 p.m. Advocacy: Update and Perspectives from Research! America